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SUBJ: REQUEST FOR FEEDBACK ON JOINT PUBLICATION 3-02 JOINT DOCTRINE FOR AMPHIBIOUS OPERATIONS (SUSPENSE 20 JULY 06)

REF/A/DOC/CJCSI 5120.02/JOINT DOCTRINE DEVELOPMENT SYSTEM/30 NOV 04//

REF/B/DOC/USJFCOM FORMAL ASSESSMENT SUMMARY JP 3-02/18 FEB 03//

REF/C/HTTP://WWW.DTIC.MIL/DOCTRINE OR SIPRNET

HTTP://NMCC20A.NMCC.SMIL.MIL/DJ9J7EAD/DOCTRINE (ALL LOWER CASE)//

NARR/REF A PROVIDES POLICY FOR DEVELOPMENT AND ASSESSMENT OF JOINT PUBLICATIONS. REF B WAS AN EARLY FORMAL ASSESSMENT FOR JP 3-02. REF C IS THE WEBSITE ADDRESS FOR THE JOINT ELECTRONIC LIBRARY WHERE THIS JP MAY BE DOWNLOADED//

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RMKS/1. BACKGROUND. IN ACCORDANCE WITH REF A THE JOINT PUBLICATION MAINTENANCE SYSTEM REQUIRES THAT ALL JOINT PUBLICATIONS BE ACTIVELY AND CONTINUOUSLY ASSESSED. JP 3-02 WAS IMPLEMENTED IN SEPTEMBER 2001 AND IS CURRENTLY SCHEDULED FOR NORMAL REVISION. THE US NAVY IS THE LEAD AGENT, THE JOINT STAFF DIRECTOR FOR JOINT EDUCATION AND DOCTRINE DEVELOPMENT (J-7) IS THE JOINT STAFF DOCTRINE SPONSOR.

2. JP 3-02 SCOPE IS AS FOLLOWS: (QUOTE) THIS PUBLICATION IS A DOCTRINE DOCUMENT IN THE JOINT OPERATIONS SERIES. IT PROVIDES FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES THAT GUIDE THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE CONDUCT OF AMPHIBIOUS OPERATIONS. (UNQUOTE)

3. THIS REQUEST FOR FEEDBACK MESSAGE REQUESTS YOUR WRITTEN OR MESSAGE RESPONSE TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS REGARDING JP 3-02, DATED 19 SEP 2001, NOT LATER THAN 20 JULY 06. SEND RESPONSES TO CDR USJFCOM JWFC SUFFOLK VA/JW100/WITH INFO TO AIG 7029 OR E-MAIL (ALL LOWER CASE):

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A. GENERAL QUESTIONS: REQUEST USE OF THE JOINT PUBLICATIONS COMMENTS MATRIX, WHICH WILL BE PROVIDED BY E-MAIL TO ALL ACTION ADDRESSEES, AND PLEASE USE LINE-OUT/LINE-IN (LO/LI) COMMENTS (STRIKETHROUGH AND UNDERLINE FEATURE -- NOT TRACK CHANGES) WHEN USING OR MODIFYING LANGUAGE TAKEN DIRECTLY FROM ANY JP. CATEGORIZE ALL RESPONSES AS CRITICAL, MAJOR, SUBSTANTIVE, OR ADMINISTRATIVE PER REF A (PAGES C-11- C-12).

(1) SHOULD THE SCOPE OF THIS JP BE MODIFIED? IF SO, HOW AND WHY?

(2) SHOULD ANY GRAPHICS, FIGURES, OR TABLES FOR THIS JP BE OMITTED OR MODIFIED? IF SO, HOW AND WHY?

(3) SHOULD ANY REFERENCES, EITHER IN THE TEXT OR IN THE APPENDICES, BE ADDED, UPDATED, OR DELETED? IS SO, WHY AND HOW?

(4) ARE THE ACRONYMS IN THE GLOSSARY COMPLETE AND ACCURATE? IF NOT, WHAT NEEDS TO BE ADDED AND/OR CORRECTED?

B. TOPIC-SPECIFIC QUESTIONS: REQUEST USE OF THE JOINT PUBLICATIONS COMMENTS MATRIX, WHICH WILL BE PROVIDED BY E-MAIL TO ALL ACTION ADDRESSEES, AND PLEASE USE LINE-OUT/LINE-IN (LO/LI) COMMENTS (STRIKETHROUGH AND UNDERLINE FEATURE -- NOT TRACK CHANGES) WHEN USING

OR MODIFYING LANGUAGE TAKEN DIRECTLY FROM ANY JP. CATEGORIZE ALL RESPONSES AS CRITICAL, MAJOR, SUBSTANTIVE, OR ADMINISTRATIVE PER REF A (PAGES C-11- C-12).

(1) COULD THE JP BE REDUCED IN SIZE TO FOCUS MORE ON AMPHIBIOUS OPERATIONS? FOR INSTANCE, COULD CHAPTERS V, VI, AND VIII OMIT THE GENERIC PORTIONS ON INTELLIGENCE, COMMAND, CONTROL, AND COMMUNICATIONS, FIRE SUPPORT, AND TARGETING BY REFERENCING JPS-2-0, 6-0, 3-09, AND 3-60? WHAT OTHER PORTIONS MIGHT BE REDUCED?

(2) HAVE THE CHARACTERISTICS OF AMPHIBIOUS OPERATIONS CHANGED? IF SO, WHAT CHARACTERISTICS SHOULD BE DELETED OR ADDED?

(3) HAVE THE PHASES OF AN AMPHIBIOUS OPERATION CHANGED? IF SO, WHAT PHASES SHOULD BE DELETED OR ADDED?

(4) HAVE THE STEPS IN THE AMPHIBIOUS PLANNING PROCESS CHANGED? IF SO, WHAT STEPS SHOULD BE DELETED OR ADDED?

(5) IS THE PORTION ON ADVANCE FORCE MINE COUNTERMEASURE OPERATIONS STILL VALID? IF NOT, WHAT HAS CHANGED?

(6) ARE THE PORTIONS ON MARITIME AND ARMY PREPOSITIONING AFLOAT STILL VALID? IF NOT, WHAT SHOULD BE CHANGED?

(7) HAVE ANY OPERATIONAL LESSONS LEARNED BEEN IDENTIFIED SINCE SEPTEMBER 2001 THAT SHOULD BE INCORPORATED INTO THE JP?

4. IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE CONSIDERATIONS, REF A REQUIRES AN ASSESSMENT OF THE NEED FOR URGENT CHANGES OR ACCELERATED REVISIONS. URGENT CHANGES REQUIRE IMMEDIATE PROMULGATION TO PREVENT A HAZARD TO PERSONNEL, DAMAGE TO EQUIPMENT, CORRECT AN OPERATING TECHNIQUE, OR EMPHASIZE A LIMITATION THAT ADVERSELY AFFECTS COMBAT EFFECTIVENESS. IF YOU HAVE ANY RECOMMENDED URGENT CHANGES OR REASONS FOR AN ACCELERATED REVISION, INCLUDE THOSE ALONG WITH SUPPORTING RATIONALE.

5. DO YOU HAVE ANY OTHER COMMENTS?

6. REQUEST ADDRESSEES ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS MESSAGE (E-MAIL PREFERRED) WITHIN 96 HOURS OF THE DATE-TIME GROUP BY CONTACTING MR. RICHARD HEILENDAY: (ALL LOWER CASE) RICHARD.HEILENDAY@JFCOM.MIL OR DSN 668-6028/COMM (757) 203-6028; OR LTCOL TONY DIBENEDETTO: (ALL LOWER CASE) ANTHONY.DIBENEDETTO@JFCOM.MIL OR DSN 668-7674/COMM (757) 203-7674 IDENTIFYING THE POC FOR YOUR ORGANIZATION, INCLUDING E-MAIL ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER.

7. WE SINCERELY APPRECIATE YOUR EFFORTS IN DEVELOPING A THOROUGH RESPONSE BECAUSE YOUR INPUTS ARE ONE OF THE PRIMARY MEANS WE USE TO REVISE JOINT PUBLICATIONS. JOINT WARFARE IS TEAM WARFARE.